Help is Available for Dentists in Need After Storm

In the wake of the recent Hurricane Irene damage, it is important to know that dentists can receive aid from the ADA Foundation Disaster Assistance Grant Program. This important program, available to member dentists, provides up to a $2,500 grant for uncompensated damages incurred due to a declared disaster. Affected dentists may also be eligible for additional assistance from FEMA.

The purpose of ADA Foundation Disaster Assistance Grant Program is to provide assistance to members of the dental profession who have lost property in a declared disaster and to support provision of emergency dental care in areas affected by disasters. The ADA Foundation provides disaster grants in the following areas:

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In addition, the ADA Foundation provides Disaster Assistance Grants Program (up to a $5,000 grant) in the following areas:

- The ADA Foundation’s Disaster Assistance Grant Program (up to a $5,200 grant)

- New York State is also sponsoring an appliance grant rebate for those folks replacing appliances due to the two storms: https://www.nyappliancerebates.com/
- ADA disaster assistance applications should be sent to NYSDA for processing. Please note that these applications must be submitted to the ADA within two months of the occurrence of the disaster.

The GNYDM: Ready for Another Great Year

As fall is here, it is once again time to make plans to attend and volunteer at the 87th annual session of the Greater New York Dental Meeting, the largest and most popular Dental Meeting/Exposition/Congress in the United States. This meeting is made possible by the Organization Committee with the support of its parent components, the Second District Dental Society and the New York County Dental Society.

The Greater New York Dental Meeting has become a world recognized International Congress with registrants from 132 countries in 2010. We have again been selected to participate in the U.S. Department of Commerce International Buyer Program which supports and facilitates the international purchase of U.S. export products and provides onsite multilingual personnel assistance. In 2010, the Meeting continued its growth with a record registration of 58,135 registrants, which included 19,431 dentists.

With a unique combination of over 1,500 exhibit booths, hundreds of continuing education courses and a “Live” Dentistry arena right on the exhibit floor, we are proud to provide the entire dental profession with the opportunity to experience the most interesting and learn from many of the world’s most acclaimed health care professionals.

This year’s meeting will build on last year’s highly successful program, available to member dentists can provide up to a $2,500 grant for uncompensated damages incurred due to a declared disaster. Affected dentists may also be eligible for additional assistance from FEMA.

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As knowledge and information expand yearly, it is our goal to provide educational programs that cover the most relevant and current topics in dentistry. Additionally, we will continue to present a full day of programming in Spanish, Italian, French, Portuguese and Russian to accommodate our international guests. Our many thanks go out to the hard-working volunteer members and staffs from the Second District Dental Society and the New York County Dental Society who give up their time to make the Greater New York Dental Meeting a unique and rewarding experience for all of its attendees.

If you haven’t registered yet for this phenomenal meeting, a registration form may be found in this Bulletin or you can easily register online at www.gnydm.com.

Better yet, help continue the success of the meeting by volunteering your time. Simply call the GNYDM office at (212) 396-6922 and let them know that you are interested.

The meeting’s success is our success. Send a hand. We all benefit.
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Miles R. Jacobson
Daniel M. Goldberg

They will be missed...
The SDDS honors the memory of our members we have recently lost.

IN MEMORIAM
Dr. Donald Bimbaum – July 16, 2011
Dr. Irwin S. Kozinn – July 18, 2008
Dr. Morris Moskowitz – May 27, 2006
Dr. Frank Nagourney – December 18, 2009

Welcome to our new members

Dr. James Hudson
Univ. of Tennessee, 2006
Dr. Mathew George
New York University, 1996
Reinstatements
Dr. Satoil Rizvi
New York University, 2007
Dr. Shahryar Sedgh
New York University, 1995

Greater New York Dental Meeting
2011 SubCommittee Sign Up

The Greater New York Dental Meeting is sponsored by two components, the Second District Dental Society and the New York County Dental Society. It provides an opportunity for its members and their hygienist’s and office managers to be part of the largest Dental Meeting in the United States. Our success is attributed to the many people involved in the production and the administration of the Meeting.

If you, your hygienist or office manager would like to volunteer on a Committee for the 2011 Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, November 29, 2011 through Wednesday, November 30, 2011 please complete the information below and fax to (212) 398-6934 (Greater New York Dental Meeting, 570 Seventh Avenue, Suite 800, New York, NY 10018), or scan and e-mail (info@gnydm.com) the form to our office. Every volunteer who serves a minimum of two half-day sessions will be entitled to a free half-day seminar awarded on a different day from the one that they volunteered and they will be pre-registered. (Workshops and Invisalign are not included). We will pre-register you, your staff and family for the Meeting in advance of general registration.

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Second District Dental Society
New York County Dental Society

Day: __________
Saturday, November 26, 2011
Sunday, November 27, 2011
Monday, November 28, 2011
Tuesday, November 29, 2011
Wednesday, November 30, 2011

Committee Choice:
Please number your first choice 1 and your second choice 2. First come first served will be utilized for appointments.

1. Entertainment
2. Essays/Scientific Poster Sessions
3. Seminars/Workshops
4. Hygienist or Office Manager Would Like to Volunteer

Please duplicate this form if your hygienist or office manager would like to volunteer.

Don’t forget to visit our website at www.gnydm.com and register your staff and family. There is never a pre-registration fee at the Greater New York Dental Meeting.

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Beverly Hackett, Executive Director.
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Today is another day of suffering for thousands of people with dental disease. It is a day with a hidden heart, with unhealed wounds, with unrelieved pain and suffering. It is a day to remember those who are in need, those who have been neglected or ignored, those who are struggling with their disease, those who are in pain, those who are suffering, those who are in need of help. It is a day to remember those who are forgotten, those who are ignored, those who are neglected, those who are ignored, those who are forgotten.

You Can Make the Difference.
Today you can make a difference. You can make a difference for someone, a neighbor, a friend, a family member, a stranger. You can make a difference by making a donation, by volunteering, by spreading the word, by being a voice for those in need. You can make a difference.

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The Purple Heart
An Essay by Dr. Gabriel Arolia

While attending New York University College of Dentistry an old time professor took me under his wing and shared with me many of his thoughts. He said that I must be a good listener and be able to discover who they are, where they came from, and what they do or have done in their lives. I particularly love to hear about the life experiences of the elderly because they are truly fascinating. I would like to share with you an unbelievable story. A patient referred her elderly uncle to my office. He was 86 years young. While communiviewing, I learned that this patient’s hobby was searching for buried treasure on beaches and in parks using sophisticated metal detectors. Over the years he accumulated numerous rings, watches, coins and many other different items that has filled an entire room. When I asked what was his most cherished find, he stated a purple heart he had found in a Brooklyn Park. The medal was inscribed with a name and the date the soldier was killed. About a year ago his niece paid him a visit and was looking at his collection. She came upon the Purple Heart and suggested that they go onto the internet to search for any relatives so that they may return the medal, but they had no luck.

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President Dr. Stuart Segelnick called the meeting to order at 7:17 PM.

Present were: Drs. Segelnick, Pavlakos, Parikh, Medrano-Saldana, Bucigrossi, Mindlin, Rater, Albicocco, Ariola, Brusht, Bachler, Lerner, Lieb, Mcintyre, Eyes, Rosenwein, Scozno, Ser-
nara, Shekib and Weselye.

Excused were: Drs. Pasquale, Flagello, Gou-
nardes, Halikias and Oshran.

Meeting Passed: The minutes of the May 2, 2011 Board of Trustees Meet-
ing were accepted with a year correction to the “De-
ceased members” section. The motion was made by Dr. Mcintyre, and was seconded by Dr. Lieb.

Deceased Members:
Dr. Jacob Benson-New York University
Dr. Alan Klein-Columbia University 1972
Dr. Arnold Welch-Holbrook University, 1951
Proposals and Election of New Members
None.

Announcements: See Cal-
endar

Correspondence: 1. Correspondence from Commanding Officer at Fort Hamilton re: Community Club.

2. Dr. Segelnick informed us about the great job their amazing team comprised of many second District past presidents and future ones.

3. On May 19, 2011 Dr. Segelnick attended the annual OKU Installation at NYU where he was to be honored to escort Dr. Mitch Bloom who has lectured for us numerous times.

4. On June 1, 2011 Dr. Segelnick attended the New York Technical College Hygiene graduation, where he presented the Steven-
son award on behalf of NYSDA. He also presented two achievement awards to members of the Second District for academic excellence and professionalism.

5. Dr. Segelnick informed us about his first past president dinner hosted by Dr. Sarah Pasquale. He mentioned that he was given guidance by his predeces-
sors on conducting business meetings, President and moving forward to the NYSDM.

President-Elect Dr. Con-
stantine Pavlakos-Progress

6. Dr. Seminara informed us about the sad and sud-
Denor at Fort Hamilton.

7. Dr. Mindlin also re-
ported that he attended the Residents’ Reception and assured us that it was a great activity.

8. The activity had poten-
tial for future members and served as a way to stimulate the residents for their membership.

Executive Director Mr. Bernard Hackett
1. Mr. Hackett reported that several attempts throughout the years to get in touch with Fort Hamilton for the upgrades of audio-visual needs in the Community Club, he finally received a response. The Commanding Officer at Fort Hamilton agreed that the upgrades were necessary, but that our financial assistance would not be needed because the costs would be included in the cost of their renovation project.

2. Mr. Hackett informed us that nearly all clinicians have sent their lecture ma-
terials for collation and production for the 2012 continuing education pro-
gram. He made it clear that unless the Board has differ-
ent views, we are assuming that the Fort Hamilton Com-
unity Club is available to us for the 2012 program. All of our Brooklyn lectures and meetings will be held at the Community Club.

3. He reviewed that the MLMIC sent letters to their insureds informing them about the approved 5% divi-
dend as well as a 10% rate increase in order to cover claim costs.

4. Mr. Hackett thanked Drs. Pasquale, Scozno, Gou-
nardes, Parikh, Mindlin and Mcintyre for welcom-
ing the hospital residents that attended the Resident’s Reception last week in Brooklyn. Interest shown by those who attended re-
sulted in an establishment of an “employment clear-
house,” by the Second District. He also thanked Dr. Pasquale once more for hosting the Past President Dinner, where Dr. Segelnick was welcomed to the ranks of the scores of his prede-
cessors that have served as President of the Second District since 1968.

5. Finally, Mr. Hackett in-
formed us that members of the Second District caucus of delegates and alternates have been scouring the latest resolutions to be considered by the NYSDA House of Delegates at the upcoming NYSDM Annual Meeting. Among the many resolutions, Mr. Hackett emphasized that one to merely be discussed was the resolution raising NYSDAs dues from $477 to $499 for full active mem-
bers.

Committee Reports:
Greater New York Dental Meeting Dr. John Halikias (Previously Mailed)
1. Dr. Ian Lerner discussed plans regarding: meeting, advertising, selling booth and sponsorships in the ab-
sence of Dr. Halikias.

The following resolutions were withdrawn from maker (Dr. Lerner) and not dis-
cussed: 1a. Resolved: (withdrawn) that the Board of Trustees of the Second District Dental Society and the Board of Directors of the New York County Dental Society edu-
cate their memberships on the effects of this new law, and if further be it resolved: (tabled) that SDDS, NYCCDS form a corporate entity associated with the NYSDM for han-
dling payments, transfers of value and compliance issues of manufacturers that spon-
sor CDE and events.

A motion was made by Dr. Medrano to table resolu-
tion until September when more information will be available. The motion was carried.

NYSDA REPORTS:
NYSDA House of Delegates Caucus Dr. Stuart Segelnick
Dr. Segelnick discussed this in his President report. Delegates met before Board of Trustees and passed all HOD resolutions. The dis-
cussion was then reported to the BOT.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:
Ad-hoc Committee on the Rules and Regulations of the NYSDM Dr. Scozno (Report)
1. Draft of the proposed Rules were distributed.

The next step is to meet with the New York County Committee to discuss the suggested Rule and Regu-
lation changes made by our district.

NEW BUSINESS:
Motion (passed): That NYSDA delegates and alter-
nates be reimbursed for attendance at the Foundation and President Dinners at the HOD in Albany.

GOOD AND WELFARE:
1. Dr. Segelnick congratu-
lated Dr. Mindlin on the en-
gagement of his daughter.

2. Dr. Lieb congratulated Dr. Segelnick on his article published in the NYSDA journal.

3. Dr. Albicocco informed us that the golf outing in Rich mond County was very successful. He thanked everyone for their participation.

4. Dr. Pavlakos attended Dr. DiMango’s gala cel-
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5. Dr. Seminara informed us about the sad and sud-
den death of a 27-year-old dental assistant from Meth-
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6. Dr. Segelnick wished everyone a good summer.

ADJOURNMENT:
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